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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is submitted in response to a non-final third office action in the above case dated June 8, 2010 ("OA3") in which the Examiner rejected certain claims as directed to non-statutory subject matter (35 U.S.C. §101) and rejected all the claims as obvious (35 U.S.C. §103) over cited art. On September 3, 2010, the attorney for Applicants and the Examiner held a phone interview discussing amendments to the claims and patentability arguments. The Examiner indicated that the discussed amendments and arguments may overcome the rejections, and requested Applicants to present the same for reconsideration, which Applicants submit herein. Applicants submit that all pending claims 1-40 are patentable over the cited art and in condition for allowance for the reasons discussed herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13.